Met Office Mountain Weather Forecast

Bannau Brycheiniog (Brecon Beacons) National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 29 May 2024 until 23:59 on Thursday 30 May 2024

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 28 May 2024 at 15:05

Confidence: High for the changeable theme continuing on Wednesday and Thursday with occasional showers. Lower in terms of the risk of heavy showers and possible thunderstorms on Thursday. High for settled and generally dry conditions from Friday onwards.

Headline for Wednesday 29 May 2024: A brighter and less breezy day with cloudy skies interspersed with brief showers and sunny intervals.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 29 May 2024

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain showers (night)	Light rain showers (night)	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Precipitation probability							
40%	30%	20%	20%	60%	40%	10%	10%

Forecast for Wednesday 29 May 2024

Weather: Periods of hill fog and the odd shower during the early hours, these possibly heavy. Wednesday will dawn rather mixed with periods of cloud and sunny intervals in places. Mainly dry at first with a low risk of isolated showers, these a bit more likely during the middle of the day. Largely dry by the evening with sunny spells.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 40% west, 60-70% east. Becoming >95% by the afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Periods of cloud above 400-600m during the early hours and until mid-morning, lowest in the west. Becoming patchy above 800m during the afternoon, mainly in association with any showers. Generally very good visibility but locally very poor in hill fog and moderate in any showers.

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Forecast for Wednesday 29 May 2024

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	21/29 W	18/24 W	14/18 W	14/19 W	17/23 W	16/23 W	15/21 NW	12/18 W	13/18 W
300	13/26 W	10/21 W	10/17 W	9/18 W	13/23 W	12/22 W	11/20 NW	7/16 W	7/16 W
Valley	12/25 W	9/21 W	9/17 W	10/18 W	11/22 W	10/21 W	10/21 NW	6/16 W	6/15 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	9/5	8/4	8/4	9/6	10/7	11/8	11/8	9/6	8/5
300	11/8	10/8	10/8	12/10	14/12	14/12	14/12	11/9	10/8
Valley	12/9	11/9	11/9	12/11	14/12	15/13	14/12	11/10	11/9
Freezing Level*	1900m	1800m	1800m	1900m	2000m	2000m	2000m	2000m	1900m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

High UV levels at times so remember your sun protection.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
14:00 on Mon 27 May 2024	9.6mm	20.2mm	20.2mm

Forecast for Thursday 30 May 2024

Weather: A windier day with a mixture of cloud, sunny intervals and the chance of occasional showers. A few of these could be heavy, mainly in the east, though some places are likely to stay dry.

Maximum wind: Northwest 25 mph gusting 40 mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 60% becoming >95%.

Low cloud and visibility: Patchy cloud above 700m at first, this lifting above all summits by midday. Very good visibility with excellent air clarity. Locally poor visibility in any cloud.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 7 Celsius rising to plus 17 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 6 Celsius rising to plus 12 Celsius.
Freezing level: Well above the summits.

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